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STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State: North Carolina

METHODS FOR TREATMENT OF INCOME THAT DIFFER FROM
THOSE OF THE SSI PROGRAM

(Section 1902(f) more restrictive methods and criteria and State supplement criteria in SSI criteria States without section 1634 agreements and in section 1902(f) States. Use to reflect more liberal methods only if you limit to State supplement recipients. DO NOT USE this supplement to reflect more liberal policies that you elect under the authority of section 1902(r)(2) of the Act. Use Supplement 8a for section 1902(r)(2) methods.)

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6. Work expenses other than child care costs are deducted from earned income based on the standard deductions of actual work expenses not to exceed \$65 + 1/2 of the earned income for categorically needy recipients:

<u>Gross Income</u>	<u>Standard Deductions</u>
\$ 1 - 50	\$2
51 - 100	4
101 - 150	11
151 - 200	19
201 - 300	43
301 - 400	79
401 + above	127

7. Spouses in the same room in a medical institution are treated as a couple.
8. The income standard for community living is protected for a maximum of 6 months for a single individual whose physician certifies in writing that the individual will be able to return home within 6 months.

B. Aged and Disabled Recipients of Optional State Supplements

1. The income of one spouse applies to the other spouse when not in the same room unless they were separated prior to entry into domiciliary facility or state their intent not to live together after returning to a home setting.
2. A standard \$9 exemption from all income is applied.

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